On motion of Mr. Colton,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Colton, Henkle, Stewart, of Baltimore City, Fletchall and Latchford, to introduce a bill to appoint Commissioners to dispose of the Tobacco Warehouses of Baltimore City, and the appurtenances thereto.

On motion of Mr. Thompson,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to amend the Act of Incorporation of Church Hill, Queen Anne's county, Maryland.

On motion of Mr. Waters,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Inspections to introduce a bill to repeal section 5, chapter 36, passed at January session, 1872, and to re-enact the said section 5 with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Dawson,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill entitled an Act to repeal sections 40 and 49, of Article 73, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Penitentiary," and to enact other sections in lieu thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hodson,

Leave was granted to the Dorchester delegation to introduce a bill to incorporate the town of Vienna, Dorchester county.

On motion of Mr. Merryman,

The House proceeded to the consideration of

The bill entitled an Act to improve the ground in front of the State-House, in Annapolis.

Pending which,

Mr. Merryman moved that the vote by which the enacting clause was stricken out be reconsidered.

The question recurring upon concurring in the motion,

Mr. Merryman demanded the yeas and nays.

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called and appeared as follows:

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Hines, Speaker, Mackey, Loane, Greenfield, Etchison, Bond, McColgan, Robey, Henkle, Harig, Nutwell, Lee, Joyce, Riley, Bird,